HOUSE BILL 1597

By Faison

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 29; Section 63-1-138; Section 68-1-101; Section 68-102-302; Section 68-11-251; Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 3 and Section 68-140-408, relative to the Tennessee emergency medical services board.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-237(a), is amended by deleting subdivision (29) in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-243(a), is amended by inserting the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

- () Tennessee emergency medical services board, created by § 68-140-303;
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-140-303(f), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (1) and adding the following as subdivision (2):

 (2)
 - (A) Notwithstanding subsection (d), any member who misses more than fifty percent (50%) of the scheduled meetings in a calendar year shall be removed as a member of the board.
 - (B) The emergency medical services director shall promptly notify, or cause to be notified, the appointing authority of any member who fails to satisfy the attendance requirement as prescribed in subdivision (f)(2)(A).

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.